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CHLOROTRIFLOURIDE AND SYSTEM FOR ETCHING  
SEMICONDUCTOR SUBSTRATES USING SAID DEVICE  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal the Examiner's decision made in the Final Office Action dated June 3, 2010, for which a three-month response period expired on September 3, 2010, finally rejecting claims 14-31. Applicants request a two-month extension of time, so that the three-month response period is extended from September 3, 2010 to November 3, 2010.

The **\$1,030.00 fee** (the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) **two-month extension fee of \$490** and the 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) **Notice of Appeal fee of \$540**) is being paid **by credit card**.

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